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A CONTINUING ANALYSIS OF THE PREVIOUSLY DESIGNATED POSSIBLE PLUTONIUM PRODUCTION FACILITY NEAR PAO-TOU, CHINA, INDICATES IT IS AN ATOMIC ENERGY COMPLEX CONTAINING FACILITIES AND STRUCTURES WHICH COULD BE ENGAGED IN THE PRODUCTION OF FEED MATERIALS. THE PAO-TOU AE COMPLEX CONTAINS 2 BUILDINGS WHICH CLOSELY RESEMBLE STRUCTURES AT THE NOVOSIBIRSK URANIUM METAL PLANT, USSR. THE FIRST BUILDING PREVIOUSLY DESCRIBED AS A PROCESSING BUILDING MAY PERFORM THE SAME FUNCTION AS THE GREEN SALT PLANT AT THE NOVOSIBIRSK INSTALLATION. THE SECOND BUILDING. A FOUNDRY-TYPE STRUCTURE IS POSSIBLY ENGAGED IN URANIUM METAL PRODUCTION AND IS SIMILAR TO THE FOUNDRY-TYPE BUIDLING PROBABLY USED FOR URANIUM METAL PRODUCTION AT THE NOVOSIBIRSK PLANT. THE LARGE INDUSTRIAL-TYPE BUILDINGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION OUTSIDE THE ORIGINAL WALLED AREA AT THE PAO-TOU AE COMPLEX HAVE SIMILARITIES TO BUILDINGS AT THE NOVOSIBIRSK URANIUM METAL PLANT USED FOR ROLLING MILLS, METAL FABRICATION AND SCRAP RECOVERY.

A DETAILED REPORT COMPARING THE NOVOSIBIRSK URANIUM METAL PLANT WITH THE PAO-TOU AE COMPLEX IS CURRENTLY IN WORK AT NPIC. GP-1

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